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1. In January 1950 there was a group of about thirty Soviet technicians in Tsinan. They worked in offices apart from any others in the city, and had no contacts with government officials that were given any publicity. They were never seen on construction jobs or in factories, and made no public appearances.
2. Some of the people in Tsinan suspected that the Soviets were there for the purpose of checking on the political sentiments and actions of the Chinese Communists.

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